

### REMARKS

The present invention is directed to liquid, partially trimerized and allophanized polyisocyanates (Claims 1-10), a process for preparing such polyisocyanates (Claim 19), and to prepolymers produced from such polyisocyanates (Claims 11-18).

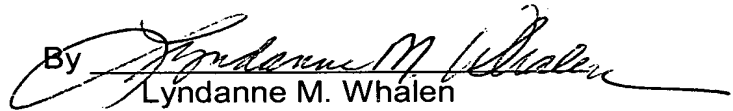
Restriction to one invention pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §121 has been required.

Pursuant to this requirement, Applicants elect to prosecute Claims 1-10 and 19 (i.e., Group I), without traverse.

Claims 11-18 which are directed to the non-elected embodiment of the invention will be cancelled upon receipt of a notice that Claims 1-10 and 19 are allowable.

In view of this election, examination and allowance of Claims 1-10 and 19 are respectfully requested.

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